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- [X] Specification, Claims, and Abstract (20 pages).
- [X] Formal drawings (3 sheets, Figures 1-3).
- [X] Declaration and Power of Attorney (4 pages).
- [X] Assignment of the invention to Leica Microsystems Jena GmbH.
- [X] Assignment Recordation Cover Sheet.
- [X] Claim for Convention Priority and Certified Copy of Priority Document.
- [X] Information Disclosure Statement.
- [X] Form PTO-1449 with copies of 2 listed references.
- [X] Application Data Sheet (37 CFR 1.76).



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